

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

November 14, 2015



San Francisco City Hall lit up with the colors of the French flag as a sign of solidarity for Paris, a San Francisco Sister City

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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Paris Attacks, Paris, France

- At approximately 2030 hours local time, 1230 hours PST on 11/13/15, attacks occurred at seven different locations within downtown Paris. The CSWC made internal notifications. The California State Threat Assessment Center (STAC) has assumed the lead role in reporting on this incident.

Tour Bus Crash, San Francisco, San Francisco County

- On 11/13/15 at 2035 hours, the Cal OES CDO advised of a local news media report of a tour bus crash which occurred at around 1500 hours in Union Square, San Francisco. Cause was under investigation and at least 20 people were injured.
- Per Cal OES LDO, SFPD is reporting 20 injured total, 6 critical, 11 treated and released from the hospital, 2 treated at the scene and released, and 1 refused medical treatment.
- SFPD also speculates cause of the crash was mechanical failure, which will still need to be confirmed through an investigation.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

- Another cool, wet system is expected to move through tonight into Sunday. Rainfall will be possible as early as this evening over the Coastal Range with precipitation spreading southeast Sunday. Rain and snow should reach the Sierra Nevada by early Sunday morning. Snow levels will drop quickly with this system and are expected to drop below pass levels by early Sunday morning.
- There is a possibility for a few thunderstorms Sunday afternoon, mainly along the eastern side of the Valley and Sierra foothills, but confidence is low in occurrence and location at this time. Precipitation will taper off Sunday evening into Sunday night although a few showers may linger across northern portions of the state into mid-week.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

High pressure will maintain dry weather across the region for most of the day today. A cold front will move across northwest California tonight bringing a period of moderate to heavy rain. Cold and unstable air with a chance of high elevation snow showers will follow on Sunday.

Medford Weather:

A front will move south along the coast today and through the forecast area tonight by a strong upper trough. A low pressure system deepening as it approaches the coast will lead to breezy to windy conditions over the area tonight. Rain is not expected to arrive until after midnight tonight for much of the west side and though the main rain-band will be quick, there should be a couple of hours of steady to moderate rain as the front goes through. There will be plenty of showers behind the front so the probability of precipitation remains high for most areas through Sunday. Snow levels are expected to come down quickly behind the front Sunday with snow affecting all the passes Sunday into Monday.

Reno Weather:

After dry and mild conditions today, low pressure will push a cold front into the Sierra and western Nevada late tonight and Sunday. Gusty winds are expected, along with accumulating snow in the Sierra and rain changing to snow across western Nevada. Snow accumulation is possible down to the lower valleys Sunday evening. Brisk and chilly conditions will continue through Monday.

San Francisco Weather:

The region will have mostly sunny and mild conditions today ahead of an incoming cold front. Rain starts in the North Bay after midnight then overspreads the Bay Area by sunrise Sunday. Rain will turn to showers by later morning or midday Sunday as the front moves southward toward the Central Coast. Cool and blustery Sunday afternoon and night with gusty northwest winds. High pressure returns next week with sunny and mild days followed by clear and cool nights.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

Dry weather conditions are forecast for today. A storm system will move across the area tonight through Sunday bringing rain and mid-elevation snow. Light showers may continue across the northern portions of the state into midweek with dry conditions elsewhere.

Hanford Weather:

Expect dry conditions while temperatures continue below average today. Patchy dense fog will be possible during the nighttime and morning hours in the San Joaquin Valley today. Another low pressure system will bring the next chance for precipitation to the area by Sunday. Patchy dense fog will return Wednesday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

A warm and dry weather pattern will linger into today as offshore winds remain in place. A low pressure system will move over the region between Sunday and Monday bringing gusty winds, cooler temperatures, and chances for rain and mountain snow. Offshore flow will reestablish beneath high pressure aloft Tuesday with gusty offshore winds and a warming trend into at least Thursday. A cooling trend could develop for late next week.

Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Offshore flow continues to weaken with local northeast gusts to 30 mph near the coastal mountain slopes early this morning. A low pressure system will move through Southern California Sunday through early Monday bringing cooling, strong gusty west to northwest winds in the mountains and deserts, and a chance of mainly light showers along and west of the mountains for Sunday night. Warmer and dry conditions are forecast for much of the rest of the week with high pressure aloft. Surface high pressure over the Great Basin will bring periods of mainly weak offshore flow with locally gusty northeast winds near the coastal foothills at times.

Southeast California Weather:

Seasonably warm weather will persist this weekend; however, a series of weather disturbances will affect the region Sunday and Monday. Strong and gusty winds will also be likely Monday over parts of the area. Temperatures will moderate during the middle and end of next week with a return of afternoon highs in the 70s and 80s.

Storm Arrives Saturday Night - Sunday

Be Prepared for Winter Driving Conditions in the Mountains!

Timing

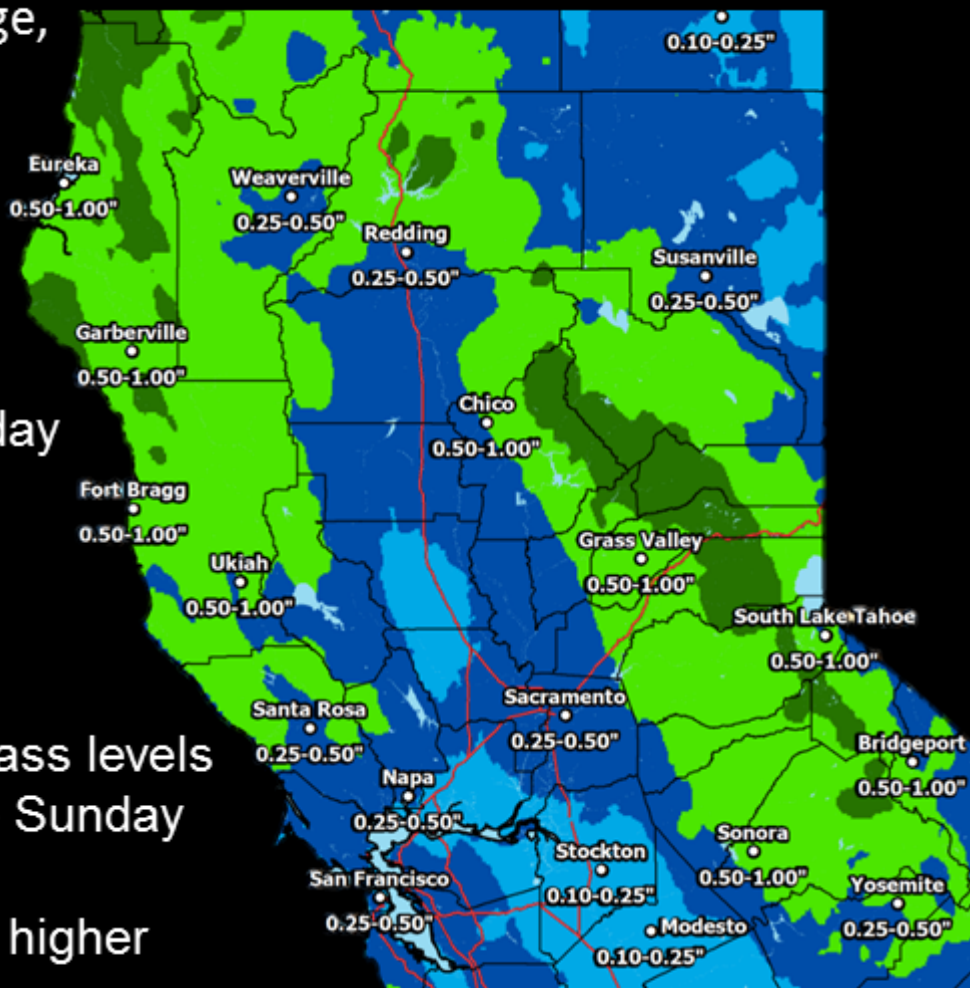
- Starting Saturday evening Coastal Range, spreading southeast early Sunday, & tapering off Sunday evening-night

Precipitation

- 0.1 – 0.5" in the Valley/Foothills
- 0.5 – 1.5" in the Mountains
- Low potential for thunderstorms Sunday afternoon eastern Sacramento Valley & Sierra foothills
- **Slick roads possible!**

Snow

- Snow levels dropping below Sierra pass levels by early Sunday, down to ~3500' late Sunday as snow tapers off
- 4-9" near pass levels, up to a foot on higher peaks
- **Travel delays & chain controls possible!**



Forecast Issued: November 13, 2015



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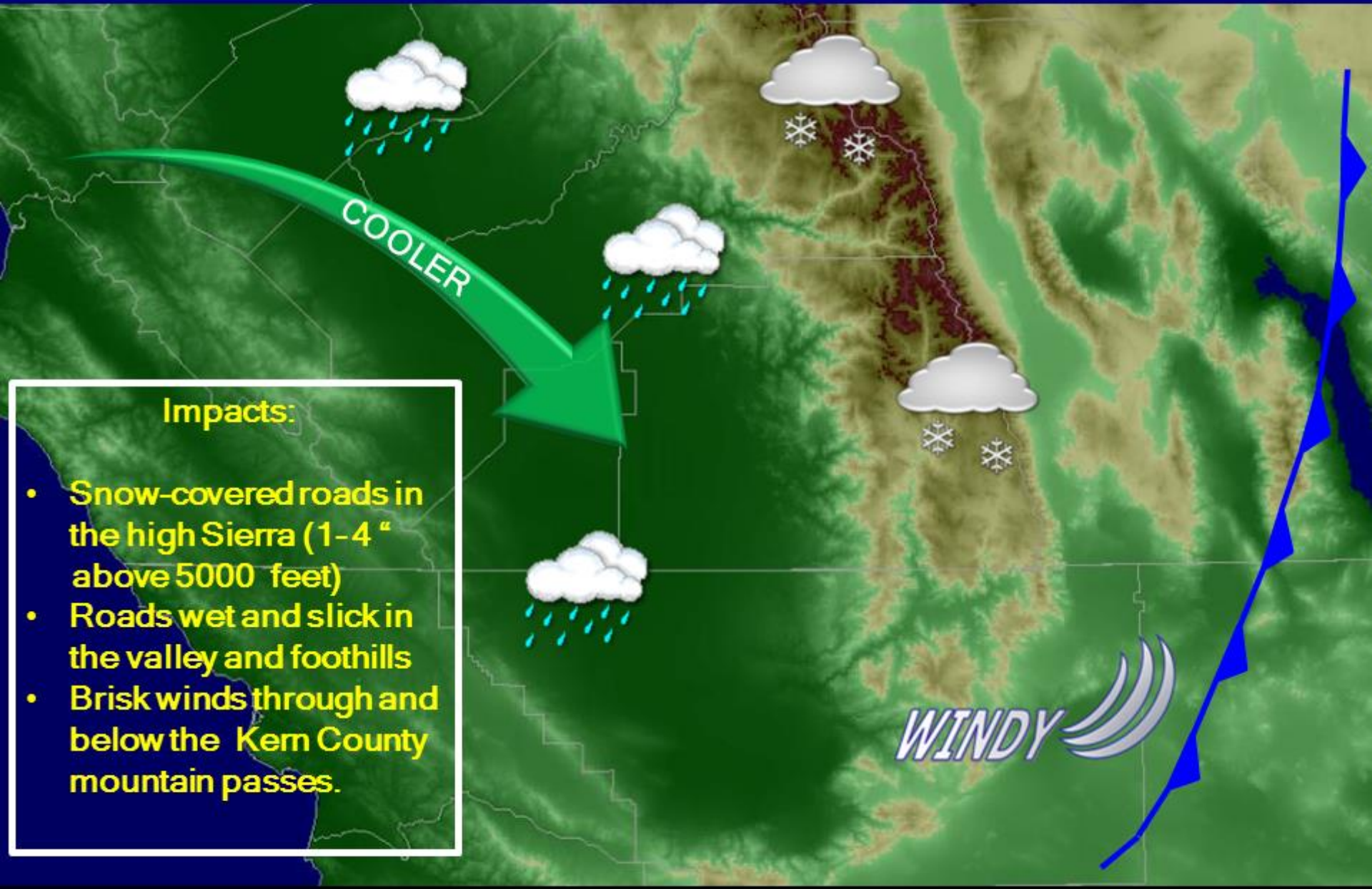
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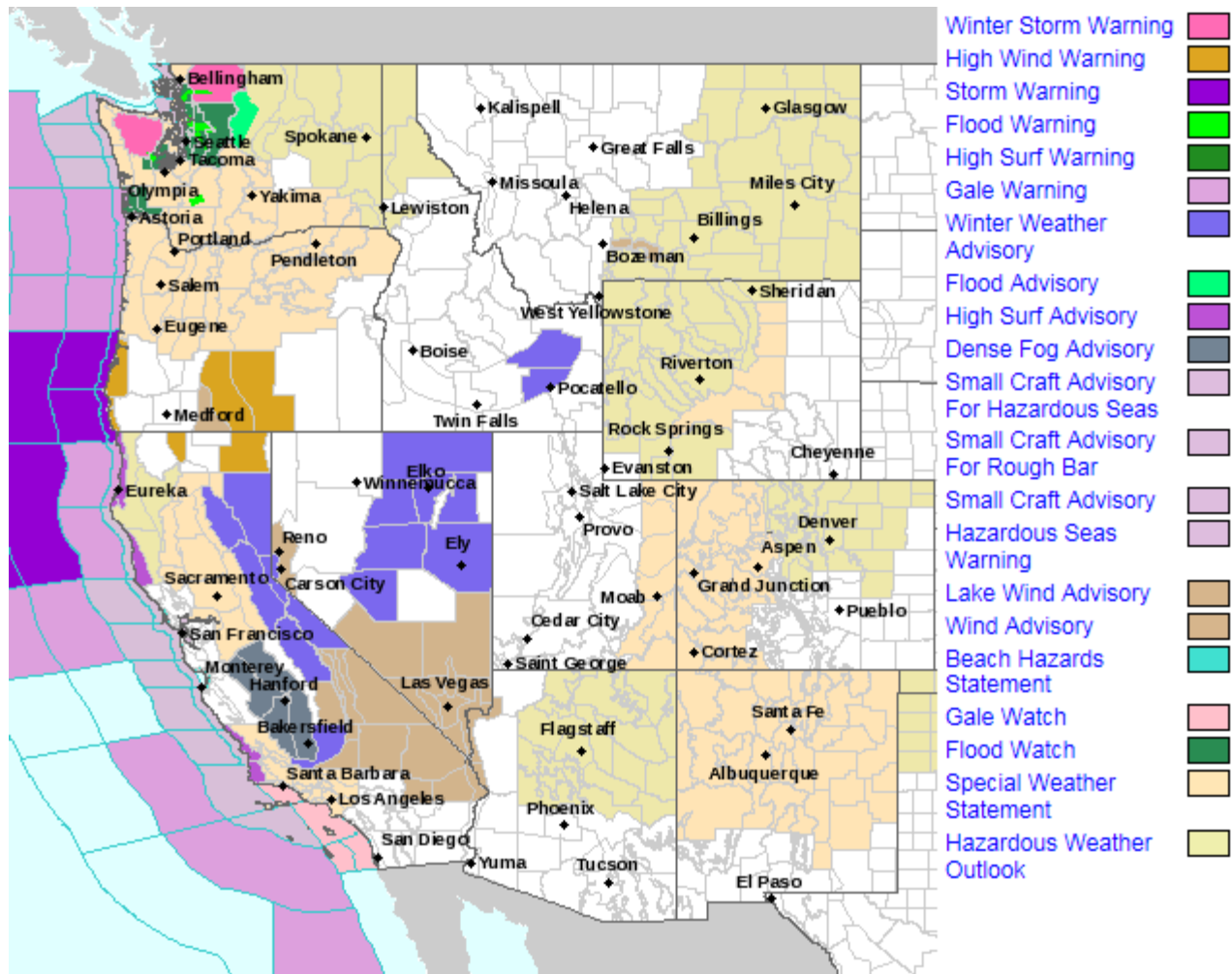
Showers, locally gusty winds and cooler temperatures expected Sunday through Sunday night.



Impacts:

- Snow-covered roads in the high Sierra (1-4 " above 5000 feet)
- Roads wet and slick in the valley and foothills
- Brisk winds through and below the Kern County mountain passes.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Nov, 14th 2015 at 10:45:42 am MST



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES Recovery

Inyo County Flooding

- Inyo County experienced flooding October 15 through October 18, 2105, in Death Valley and requested assistance from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA). Although the county did not report physical losses to homes and businesses, information indicated there may be economic losses to businesses. Cal OES IA is currently working with Inyo County on capturing economic loss information for businesses. If the County is able to provide information to the State that reveals at least five businesses have suffered substantial economic injury within 120 days from the incident period of the disaster, a formal request may be sent from Cal OES requesting SBA implement its Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL).

Los Angeles County Flooding

- On October 15, 2015, heavy rain and hail occurred in the Palmdale-Lancaster area at approximately 3:00 pm, which caused mudslides and flash floods, and resulted in road closures, stranded vehicles, power outages and other damages. Portions of Interstate 5 and other roads in the area were closed. Evacuation centers were opened for those not sheltering in place as necessary. Areas most impacted by the incident include the unincorporated areas of Lake Elizabeth, Hughes Lake, Leona Valley, Green Valley and the cities of Lancaster and Palmdale. Currently, a gubernatorial State of Emergency has not been proclaimed. Los Angeles County opened a Local Assistance Center (LAC) October 30-31, 2015, and November 7, 2015. State participation included representatives from the Department of Motor Vehicles, Contractors State License Board, and Department of Insurance. On November 4-5, 2015, representatives from Los Angeles County, Cal OES IA, and the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) conducted a joint preliminary damage assessment (PDA). Based on the findings, Cal OES submitted a request for a physical loss disaster declaration to SBA on November 12, 2015. If a declaration is approved, SBA will make low-interest loans available to homeowners, renters, businesses, and private non-profit organizations to apply.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every other Monday at 1100 hours.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 62 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 28 Counties: Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

CAL OES MISSIONS

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-19798, 11/13/15, 1215 hrs.,** International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised the CSWC of a SPOT device activation. Inyo County Sheriff's Department (ICSD) was advised of the activation and the coordinates within Death Valley National Park. **Update: 11/13/15, 1500 hrs.,** ICSD advised that they located the Registered Owner of the device and he refused assistance. **Mission Closed**



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.